IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Bechtold et al.

Title: BATTERY HAVING SEALED CONTACT TERMINAL BUSHING

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Examiner: Steven M. Scully

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop **AMENDMENT** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[X] Reply and Amendment (7 pages).

[X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	20	-	20	=	0	X	\$52.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	2	-	3	=	0	X	\$220.00	=	\$0.00
First p	oresentation (of any	Multiple	Depen	dent Claims:	+	\$390.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FEI	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

[] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. total number of months checked below:	§1.136(a) for the			
[] Extension for response filed within the first month: \$1	30.00 \$0.00			
[] Extension for response filed within the second month: \$4	90.00 \$0.00			
[Extension for response filed within the third month: \$1,1	10.00 \$0.00			
[Extension for response filed within the fourth month: \$1,7	30.00 \$0.00			
[Extension for response filed within the fifth month: \$2,3	50.00 \$0.00			
	EXTENSION FEE TO	TAL: \$0.00			
[] Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d): \$1	40.00 \$0.00			
	CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TO	TAL: \$0.00			
	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of all	pove): \$0.00			
	Extension Fees Previously Paid:				
	FEE: \$0.00				

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment instructions in EFS-Web being incorrect or absent, resulting in a rejected or incorrect credit card transaction, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

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